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Australian Application No: PP2898 )  
Priority Date: 09 April 1998 )  
For : A PAPER COATED METAL BUILDING PANEL )  
AND COMPOSITE PANELS USING SAME )

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 17-18 and 34-36.

Please amend claims 3, 5-7, 9-12, 14-18, 21-28 and 30-33 as follows:

Claim 3, line 1, replace "either claim 1 or 2" with --claim 1--.

Claim 5, line 1, replace "any preceding claim" with --claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 1, replace "any preceding claim" with --claim 1--.

Claim 7, line 1, replace "any preceding claim" with --claim 1--.

Claim 9, line 1, replace "any preceding claim" with --claim 1--.

Claim 10, line 1, replace "any preceding claim" with --claim 1--.